

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

RATE ADJUSTMENT OF WESTERN)	CASE NO.
KENTUCKY GAS COMPANY)	90-013

ORDER OF PROCEDURE

On February 13, 1990, Western Kentucky Gas Company ("Western") filed an application with the Commission wherein it proposes to adjust its retail rates for service rendered on and after March 15, 1990.

The Commission finds that, pursuant to KRS 278.190, further proceedings are necessary in order to determine the reasonableness of the proposed rates and that such proceedings cannot be completed prior to the proposed effective date.

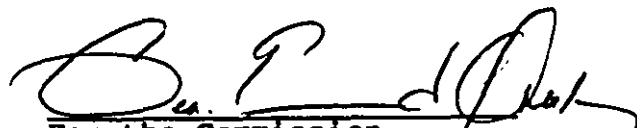
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The proposed rates hereby are suspended for 5 months from the proposed effective date, through August 15, 1990.
2. The procedural schedule listed in Appendix A, attached hereto and incorporated herein, shall be followed.
3. Western shall give notice of the hearing in accordance with the provisions set out in 807 KAR 5:011, Section 8(5).
4. Motions for extensions of time with respect to the schedule herein shall be made in writing and will be granted only upon a showing of compelling reasons.

5. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering a final decision in this case prior to the termination of the suspension period.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 7th day of March, 1990.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


For the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE

COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 90-013 DATED 3/07/90

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

DUE DATE

1. Western shall file its testimony in verified form, unless submitted sooner.....3/19/90
2. All requests for information to Western shall be due, unless submitted sooner.....3/30/90
3. Western shall mail or deliver responses to the original request for information, unless submitted sooner.....4/10/90
4. All supplemental requests for information (to include only those matters within the scope of the initial request) to Western shall be due, unless submitted sooner.....4/24/90
5. Western shall mail or deliver responses to the supplemental requests for information unless submitted sooner.....5/01/90
6. Intervenor shall file their testimony in verified prepared form, unless submitted sooner.....5/15/90
7. All requests for information to intervenors and final requests to Western shall be due, unless submitted sooner.....5/30/90
8. Intervenor and Western shall mail or deliver responses to requests for information, unless submitted sooner.....6/13/90
9. Public Hearings are to begin at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in the Commission's offices at Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of cross-examination of witnesses of Western, cross-examination of witnesses of intervenors, and the presentation of rebuttal testimony, if any.....6/20/90
10. Western and intervenors shall, if necessary, file briefs, indexed by subject matter, simultaneously.....7/13/90